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\$ 8.50 bags	\$6.84	\$1.00 bags	\$.74
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OPEN FORUM.

A SUGGESTION ABOUT BONDS.
To the editor: This city has been giving for 10, these many months to all \$376,500 worth of sewer bonds raising 5 per cent to Eastern or foreign buyers, and thus far has met with success.

Now, as a matter of civic pride, we could all rather see the bonds go into the hands of local capital. The Willamette University is now celebrating the completion of its goal--viz: a \$500,000 endowment fund, which, I presume for investment.

We have some five or six blocks of public buildings, the court house, post-office, Willson avenue and the state capitol on one side of State street and the University campus on the other side, and there are no prettier grounds, probably, on the Pacific coast than they are, especially the state house grounds.

Now, my suggestion is this: Let the Willamette University take up the bonds at say 6 per cent but stipulate in the contract that one of that 6 per cent, or \$3765 per year, for the first year, and correspondingly less for the succeeding years, be used in beautifying the campus to correspond in a measure with the Capitol grounds. By doing so we would not only keep our money at home but in a few years

we would have a city not equaled in beauty this side of that City whose streets are paved with gold, and from a financial standpoint, which unfortunately figures more in the affairs of men than any other, we would have an asset that would do more toward inviting capital here than any other one thing.

C. O. R.

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TRIAL OF ALLEGED ASSAILANT IS ON

Many Witnesses Called to Testify in Case of Young Man Charged With Criminal Offense.

With an innocent little baby playing the leading part, much to the disapproval of both the court and the spectators, and the rumbling testimony on the part of various youths who were called to the witness stand by the defense, the case of the State vs. Fred Demagoly occupied the time of the circuit court this morning.

This is another one of those cases wherein a young girl is alleged to have been the victim of the wiles of designing young men. Demagoly was indicted by the last grand jury on the charge of committing an assault upon the person of a minor, Miss Mary Ake, in 1912. At least twelve witnesses, all young men, were in court this morning, and they will be called upon by the defendant's counsel this afternoon to testify as to Miss Ake's general reputation.

Babe Displayed.
When the trial opened this morning, Deputy District Attorney Keyes called as the first witness, Miss Ake. The young woman started to the witness stand with her fatherless babe in her arms, but upon objection of Attorney Winslow, who represents Demagoly, Judge Kelly ruled that the child should not be brought to the stand.

Then, after referring to different rules wherein courts have held that the offspring of men and women who have not been legally married, may be introduced as exhibits to show the likeness to either party, the prosecuting attorney moved that the babe be shown to the jury. Judge Kelly sustained the motion and the mother of the infant, went to Matron Lynch, who was holding the babe, and taking the little thing in her arms, carried it in front of each line of jurors for their inspection. It could be plainly seen that Judge Kelly abhorred the scene while both jurors and spectators hung their heads when the babe was displayed as "Exhibit A."

Court Severe.
When Miss Ake was called to the stand, she insisted upon speaking so low that the jurors could not hear. "Speak louder," stated Judge Kelly, "or this trial will result in a farce."

Several times during the hearing this morning the court found it necessary to speak sharply to both attorneys and witnesses, and once, while two parties were conversing in the room, the court advised them to keep silent.

Miss Ake testified on the stand this morning that she has never been married, but that the child is hers and that Fred Demagoly is its father. She testified that the defendant induced her to commit a wrong, but would not swear that he in any way compelled her to submit. Upon being cross-examined, Miss Ake testified that Demagoly's insistent requests drove her to doing what was not proper, and with the exception of another instance prior to her relations with the defendant, she was forced to lead a wayward life. She

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Renews your energy.

blames one Robert Savage in the first instance, testifying that he threatened her bodily harm to accomplish his purpose.

BANKRUPTS ACCUSED OF COMMITTING CRIME

Robinson and Oppenheimer Alleged to Have Withheld \$18,000 of the Firm's Money.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Portland, Or., July 17.—Charged under the laws of the United States with conspiracy to commit a crime, W. W. Robinson and E. K. Oppenheimer, members of the bankrupt firm of W. W. Robinson, clothing, were arrested today by Deputy United States Marshals Fuller and Becker. The specific charge is that they made an effort to conceal from the referee in bankruptcy certain assets of the corporation.

United States Commissioner Cannon released Oppenheimer under \$1000 cash bond. Robinson's bond was fixed at \$10,000.

When the case first was called to the attention of the federal authorities, the alleged withholding of \$18,000 of the firm's funds appeared to be merely a case of embezzlement under the Oregon state law, and it was turned over to District Attorney Evans, of Multnomah county. Officers arrested Robinson in Bellingham last Saturday night, it being alleged that he was on his way to Canada. He was returned to Portland. The federal charge is the outgrowth of a meeting of creditors before Referee Chester Murphy.

LIKES TARIFF BILL PROGRESS.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Washington, July 17.—Representative Underwood, of Alabama, Democratic leader in the house, expressed satisfaction with the progress being made in the enactment of the new tariff law bearing his name. He said he believed the bill would become a law before September 15.

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SALEM COMMERCIAL CLUB SENDS LETTER

People of Salem and Vicinity Invited to Join in Boosting this Section of Oregon

The following communication is being sent out by the Commercial Department of the Salem Commercial Club for the purpose of encouraging every property holder in the city and suburban districts to join in the movement to boost Salem and Marion county:

"Please consider this letter as a personal invitation to you to become a member of the Promotion Department of the Salem Commercial Club, which organization was formed by a consolidation of the Salem Board of Trade and the well known Illihee Club.

"The Promotion Department will work for the development of not only Salem but for all the country surrounding it; and the aim of the officers of this department is to have the property owners in Marion and Polk counties as members. Heretofore the efforts expended to secure members were confined to the business men of Salem, but under the new management, the field and scope is to be widened and the property owners, the men and women really interested and benefitted, are to be invited to join and participate in the deliberations and efforts of the Salem Commercial Club.

"Marion county, with one exception, is the only county in the state maintaining the services of a Government Farm Expert, and the Commercial Club is financing this undertaking. This is only one of the many things the Commercial Club is doing to help the land owners.

"There is no membership fee and the monthly contributions are regulated by the members themselves. Enclosed is a membership card. Please fill this in and return it once to the secretary. The minimum monthly contribution is fifty cents, but you can give as much as you please. We don't care how much or how little you give; it is not alone the money we need, it's you. We need you to help up; you need us to help you.

"Trusting that we may have the pleasure of a favorable reply and seeing you frequently at our new quarters in the Gray block, we are,
Respectfully,
SALEM COMMERCIAL CLUB,
Promotion Department

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EUGENE MAN BUYS CALIFORNIA PAPER

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
San Jose, Cal., July 17.—The election of E. J. Finneran, formerly editor of the Daily Guard, of Eugene, Ore., is announced here today as president of the Consolidated Publishing Company, which prints the San Jose Morning Times. Louis O'Neal, a politician and attorney, is said to be the guiding hand in the new organization.

The entire editorial and business staff of the Times resigned on the spot when it was announced that Finneran had purchased for \$60,000 a controlling interest in the paper. The employees held an option, which expires today, for \$40,000.

SAVE THOUSANDS OF LIVES BY TELEPHONES

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Wheeling, W. Va., July 17.—A terrific wind and rain storm visited West Virginia and southeastern Ohio last night and today, causing floods which endangered the lives of thousands of persons. The telephone operators throughout the territory affected stuck to their posts, sending out warnings to the people to flee for their lives. The storm was the most violent of the year. Immediately after warnings had been issued all wires were demolished, and the extent of the damage is not known, but it is believed that the heroic work of the telephone employees prevented many fatalities.

The storm reached the proportion of a cloud burst in this vicinity. Big and Little Wheeling creeks, which flow through this city soon became raging torrents.

THE ROUND-UP

The United Telephone Company has been given permission by the railroad commission to discontinue its exchange and business at Aurora, and has turned the field over to the Aurora Mutual Telephone Company.

The Chautauqua at Ashland is being well attended, and has reached the overflow meeting stage.

The four saloons closed by the sheriff at Hillsboro Saturday, are still closed, and will remain so until after a hearing before the county court.

W. T. House, of Independence, says he has a loganberry patch that will yield \$200 an acre net.

Ray Diamond was sentenced Tuesday, at Roseburg to 10 years in the penitentiary for holding up the cashier of the Glendale bank a few weeks ago. He was not paroled—like J. Thorburn Ross, for instance.

There was a big grange picnic held at McMinville Saturday.

La Grande women are giving a series of dances to raise money to pay off the indebtedness of its Chautauqua last year.

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Silk Hose, all colors, 25c, 35c and 50c pair.
Ladies' Waists, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$3.00.
Children's dresses 50c, 75c, \$1.25, \$2.00.
Ladies' Dresses, Wrappers and Kimonos, big line. Prices 75c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.70 and up.
Underwear, all kinds on sale.
25c a yard Dress Goods, sale 15c yard.
\$1.50 a yard Silks, sale \$1.00 a yard.
Pants \$1.00, \$1.25, \$2.00, \$2.25 and up.

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